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TRANSPORT CONSTRUCTION DELEGATION (05.02)

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1. REQUEST SCIOFF PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO YEKIMCHEV,
MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT CONSTRUCTION WITH COPY TO
ISHCHENKO, SCST.

2. 05.02 - AUGUST 30, 1976

MR. D. M. YEKIMCHEV

CHIEF, TECHNICAL ADMINISTRATION

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT CONSTRUCTION

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DEAR MR. YEKIMCHEV:

I AM PLEASED TO SEND YOU THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM OF VISIT
FOR THE 3-MAN SOVIET TRANSPORT CONSTRUCTION DELEGATION,
WHO ARE SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE IN WASHINGTON ON TUESDAY,
SE PMBER 14:

SEPTEMBER 14-17 - DOT TUNNELING CONFERENCE - EASTON,
MARYLAND

SEPTEMBER 17-18 - WASHINGTON, D.C.

SEPTEMBER 19-20 - DENVER/EISENHOWER TUNNEL SITE

SEPTEMBER 21-23 - LAS VEGAS/LAKE HAVASU CITY/BUCKSKIN
MOUNTAIN TUNNEL

SEPTEMBER 24 - WASHINGTON, D.C./DEPART FOR MOSCOW FROM
NEW YORK CITY

TRAVEL TO EASTON, MARYLAND, WILL BE BY DOT CAR. TRAVEL
FROM LAS VEGAS TO LAKE HAVASU WILL BE BY SMALL AIRCRAFT
AT COST OF \$56.00 FOR EACH PASSENGER. THIS IS A CHARTER
AIR LINE SERVICE WHICH MUST BE PAID FOR IN CASH AND EACH
MEMBER SHOULD BE PREPARED TO DO SO. DELEGATION SHOULD
BE TICKETED FOR U.S. TRAVEL AS FOLLOWS: WASHINGTON,
DENVER, LAS VEGAS, WASHINGTON, NEW YORK.

AS REQUESTED THROUGH THE U.S. EMBASSY ON AUGUST 23, I
HOPE IT WILL BE POSSIBLE FOR YOUR DELEGATION TO LEAD
THE DISCUSSION AT A LATE AFTERNOON SESSION ON
SEPTEMBER 15 OF THE DOT TUNNELING CONFERENCE ON SOME
ASPECT OF SOVIET TUNNELING TECHNOLOGY.

I APPRECIATE RECEIVING YOUR RECENT LETTER ENCLOSING THE
TUNNELING REPORT WHICH I AM LOOKING FORWARD TO STUDYING
AS SOON AS IT IS TRANSLATED.

-- SINCERELY,

-- C. F. SCHEFFEY, DIRECTOR
-- OFFICE OF RESEARCH

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